

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the National Animal Control Association has designated the second week of April each year as Animal Control Appreciation Week; and

WHEREAS, various officials throughout the country take this time to recognize, thank, and commend all Animal Control Officers for the dedicated service they provide animals, residents, and public safety departments; and

WHEREAS, Martin Luther King Jr. County would like to express its sincere thanks and appreciation for the outstanding service King County Animal Care and Control provides on a daily basis to the animals and residents of this county; and

WHEREAS, this county recognizes and commends the Animal Control Officers for the many dedicated and long hours of service they perform in serving this community, and for fulfilling their commitment to provide the highest and most efficient level of service; and

WHEREAS, the quality service provided by each and every King County Animal Control Officer is in keeping with the long and distinguished tradition of the Animal Control profession;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ron Sims, Executive of Martin Luther King Jr. County do hereby proclaim the week of April 12-18, 2009 to be **Animal Control Officers Week**, and I am pleased to present this proclamation to

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on this the 13th day of April, 2009. I encourage all residents, public safety, health, and public service personnel alike to join together in expressing sincere thanks, gratitude and appreciation for the many long hours of outstanding service. The quality performance these outstanding individuals provide throughout the year assures the safety and welfare of all animals and residents.

Ron Sims

King County Executive